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Answer: EPA has no plans at this time to supply drinking water to any of the 20 homes in this group. Well 32 had levels below the MCL at the tap. However, well 32 is the only home in this group that we plan to resample. Cabot is already providing an alternate water source for the home served by well 35.

Answer: Yes, EPA continues to supply water to the those three homes while we conduct a second round of sampling.

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| "McCarthy, Lorraine" | Thanks! Are you able to answer those two questions? (Will EPA supply drinki... | 04/06/2012 02:47:05 PM |
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Subject: RE: Update on latest water sampling data from Dimock, Pa.

(Is EPA still supplying drinking water to those three homes from the first sample whose water exceeds the trigger level for arsenic or chromium?)

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Subject: RE: Update on latest water sampling data from Dimock, Pa.

Sorry -- I could not open that either. Here is the attachment and I also pasted the data.

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But your note says the results are from the 2nd set of sampling at **20** wells. Can you explain?

The sample dates referenced are actually 2 weeks of sampling. Samples during the 2nd week were taken 1/30/12 thru 2/3/12. See the attached chart to clarify which wells were in the 20, and which were in the first 11.

Also, the document says yellow-highlighted sample results (all of which I note are below the EPA and DEP MCLs) are referred to an EPA toxicologist for further review. What does that mean?

Some chemicals found do not have an EPA established maximum contaminant level (MCL). Therefore EPA ensures that an Agency toxicologist evaluates the results by performing a risk assessment to determine if the level found presents a health concern.



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